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The Standard.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1864.

"Nil falsi audeam, nil veri non audeam dicere."

THE LAND PROJECT.

The Government of Buenos Ayres has a land office always open—has several thousand leagues of unoccupied territory for sale—has special laws passed indicating the price of these lands—and yet, nevertheless, a new land project is brought before the House, to authorize the Government to sell public land. What is the meaning of all this? Do our readers thoroughly understand the real drift of the present land project? We think it right to explain the matter.

The Government of Buenos Ayres is beginning to discover that public lands are not at all so saleable at the prices fixed by law as is generally imagined, and that seven-eighths of the business of the land office in Buenos Ayres is *renting*, and not *selling*.

To redeem the paper dollar, it is necessary to get some little money together; and as the railway sale leaves almost nothing, there being so much already due on it, and foreign loans are unpopular; public lands must come to the hammer. But without any special law or enactment, the Government is this moment fully authorized to sell eight hundred leagues to one single purchaser, or eight hundred, as the case may be, always provided that he or they have cash enough to pay for them. Why, therefore, is the present law introduced? For three good sound reasons:—

1st. Because the present price of public land is so high, it is proposed to reduce it.

2nd. Because the only good or valuable lands belonging to Government are occupied by tenants who hold unexpired leases from the Government at a fixed rent, and it is necessary to break all these leases.

3rd. Because the only possible way to compel people to pay such exorbitant prices for the public lands, is to get the tenants into a corner, and, under the threat of eviction, force them to purchase.

To accomplish these three ends the present law is now introduced, but we predict the greatest failure for the measure.

No exigency of the country, or of the Government, we apprehend, can defend the wholesale injustice of the present bill. It will neither accomplish the ends for which it has been proposed, nor tend to establish a fixed value on Government lands, and we have no doubt will cause less good and more misery than what is generally expected.

Even now the land-purchasing fever has died out; sales of private property are getting fewer, *enfiteusis* is unsaleable and regarded as a sham, and a general distrust entertained as to the future value of *estancia* lands.

The present land project is nothing more or less than a scheme to pass all the Government lands at present occupied over the heads of the struggling tenants into the hands of large capitalists.

We know of recent cases where poor farmers have scraped together all the little money they could, paid one hundred and even one hundred and fifty thousand dollars per square league for the simple right of *enfiteusis*, confiding in the sacred character of the Government lease. These men now must beguad borrow the money to pay for the fee, and if not, out they go.

Despotism we all regard as an evil, but we, for our part, fail to discover the blessings of republican liberty, when such wholesale—(frauds we were about to say) are current under the name of the law of the land.

The Government wishes, we all wish, to see the paper money redeemed, but

let this not be made a pretext for driving all the struggling farmers of the country into the poor house.

Capt. Mansilla very properly opposes the law on the ground of differential valuation, but we ask of him to do more, and to show up to the House in plain words the dishonorable conduct of a Government granting a lease for eight years to-day, and smashing it by act of Parliament to-morrow.

Why, if this new land law is passed, every road in the country will be crowded with men who are turned out of their little homesteads, by the ruthless edicts of a partial Legislature.

Are the unfortunate farmers, who are the bone and sinew of the country, to be treated without mercy or justice? or is there no honest intrepid member in the House of Legislature who will dare say publicly that this new law would in most countries be characterized as a swindle!

Leases, whether Government or not, should be respected, and the saving clause giving the tenant six months time with a preferential right is but one of those insidious poisons of which too many of our laws savour.

If the present land project is passed, it will make beggars, and homeless beggars, of numerous poor but industrious native families. On behalf of these unfortunate people, and our own fellow countrymen who are similarly situated, we raise our voice against this most iniquitous measure, and hope that, notwithstanding the influence of the Government, the members of the Chambers will have the honor, the patriotism, and the good sense, to reject it in toto.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

The boilers were put into the new steamer, *Estrella del Norte*, yesterday, and it is generally believed she will be finished and ready to run on the 1st November.

Sr. Frias has been re-elected to the post of senator in Congress for Buenos Ayres. We congratulate this distinguished gentleman on his re-nomination.

Yesterday was rather a dull day in town, as no steamer from either up or down the river arrived. The only subject of conversation was the closing of Congress, the particulars of which will be found in another column.

We regret to say that we hear of another mysterious murder in the neighbourhood of Chascomus. The victim was a Freitman, who was hired by the month at a 'puesto' to mind a flock of sheep. The estanciero, or owner of the sheep, hearing that the flock was scattered, sent to the 'puesto' in question, which was found locked. The alcalde was summoned, the door broken in, and there the unfortunate man was found lying on the floor, his throat cut in the most shocking manner. As the key of the door was found a little way from the house, there can be no doubt that the man was murdered. The neighbours state that he had been missing some two or three days, but some thought he had gone to the little town, and been detained there. The Justice of the Peace is doing his best to detect the murderer, but it is feared ineffectually. A troop of carts, it is said, remained during the night in front of the 'puesto,' about the time when it is thought the deed was perpetrated, and dark suspicions are entertained respecting some of the peons belonging to the carts.

We regret to say that Mr. McBrittain, who was connected with Rumel's diligence van, met with a very severe accident the other day, falling from the van. The wheels passed over both his limbs, crushing them in a most frightful manner.

The United States Sanatory Committee for Buenos Ayres held their meeting at the Hon. Mr. Kirk's rooms, and the report was read. Owing to want of space, we are compelled to hold over until to-morrow our account of the meeting; suffice it to say, that the total collections made for this praiseworthy and charitable purpose exceeds £1200 sterling.

The subscription collected in Buenos Ayres, in aid of the widows and orphans of Denmark, amount to over £200 sterling.

The steamer *Venus* was nearly rendered a total wreck the other day in the river Uruguay. The river is so high, that she sailed right over the

tops of the trees on one of the submerged islands. Owing to the timely aid rendered by the Salto, she was extricated from her perilous position.

A gentleman, recently arrived from Chascomus, states that the farmers in that direction have very high notions about wool, the general belief out there being, that good wool is cheap at \$140 the arroba. Shearers are said to be scarce: the current price paid in the South is \$40 mpc per hundred, and even at this high figure hands are scarce. Some new wool may be expected from the South very early this year. Owing to the prevalence of clover in the camps, the 'gramilla' seems to have missed in the South this year. As the country is covered with clover, in many parts it has grown so high, that the sheepfarmers have mown it down, and make hay of it: the increase in the flocks has been very good, and the sheep keep lambing still. Messrs. Wyllie and Co., in Chascomus, are doing a splendid business. Several wool buyers have presented themselves in Chascomus, but the farmers ask so high a price that few bargains have been made: very little wool will be sold outside this year.

There is a new literary society started, called the 'Atenco Argentino,' which we rather think is a sort of opposition shop to the 'Circulo Literario.' It is not probable, however, that the latter will suffer by the competition.

The town of San Nicholas is in the most frightful state of excitement; owing to the wrangling going on between the two newspapers. The place is not able to support more than one paper, but some of the opposite clique succeeded in starting an opposition paper called 'El Amigo del Pueblo.' The result is, that the starters of this paper have suffered so much from the low personalities hurled not only at them but their families, and so great is the manner in which they are ridiculed that they have been obliged to temporarily leave the town. The most infamous slanders have found room in the columns of these journals. We are happy to say that the Government finding the evil so monstrous, the nuisance so great, has very properly ordered that the 'Amigo del Pueblo' should leave the town. The 'Eco del Norte,' which was the original organ of San Nicolas, is still published. It is well-supported, and has the satisfaction to see its opponent not only silenced, but the parties who aided in starting it obliged to hide their faces. The most scandalous disclosures respecting these parties were published, and even domestic privacy was not regarded. Gov. Saavedra deserves every praise for taking such decisive steps in the matter, as San Nicolas was really in a frightful state owing to these newspaper quarrels.

The church in Moron is at last newly painted and adorned. The principal part of the expense was borne by one family, who have also lent every pecuniary assistance to the Merlo church.

The amount of compensation which Congress has awarded to Mr. Lelong is two thousand silver dollars, payable in bonds, which at the present rate at which these securities are selling is about three thousand pounds sterling more or less. We hear that Mr. Lelong is about shortly to leave for Europe.

The number of new houses begun during the month of September, according to official report, was sixty, and the number of houses repaired forty-two, bearing out precisely what only the other day we affirmed, that, great as are the new buildings which are going on at present in this city, the number of houses being repaired is nearly as great; the majority of the houses built in town are got up in too great a hurry.

The 'Reforma Pacifica' we regret to see has lost the able correspondence of Sr. Rojo of the Bolsa. We know not the cause, but we consider that Mr. Rojo's commercial letters must have been extremely interesting to Montevideo readers.

Captain Mansilla's new play called 'My Aunt' will be brought out on the Victoria boards on the 18th instant. People are anxious to see it, as those who know it speak very highly about it.

On last Wednesday and Thursday a heavy trade sale of dry goods took place at the wholesale and importing warehouse of Messrs. Mallman & Co. The

bidding, we are assured, was not so animated as was expected, and the prices almost as usual. The majority of importers are of opinion that these heavy trade sales only force the market and result in little profit to the importers, except where the stock is out of season.

The bequest of Mr. Patrick Pew of \$40,000 which we mentioned the other day, was left for the purpose of building two rooms to the Irish Hospital adjoining.

We learn that Sr. Da Couto has resigned the post of secretary to the San Juan Mining Co.

The French packet will leave on Wednesday, and our edition for Europe will appear, as usual, on Tuesday morning.

THE BRITISH LIBRARY.

The notice in another column has already informed the British community of the critical state in which the Library has been handed over to the new committee, who find their election to office rather a task than an honor. Without a dollar in the funds, without sufficient subscriptions falling due before Christmas to pay the rent and gas of the apartments; in a word, reduced to bankruptcy, there is a necessity of devising some method of replenishing the cash-box, and placing the institution beyond the fear of another monetary crisis some months hence.

On the part of the Committee we proceed to lay before our readers the actual state of affairs. By last packet a letter was received from Mr. Mudie requesting immediate attention to his claim of £50, an amount almost quarter the total income of the Library for twelve months. In the meantime the Committee has sent—by the last packet—another order for books, and intends doing so by each mail, in the belief that this is the only means of rendering the Library useful or interesting to our public. Now it is notorious that there are several hundred volumes of the Library never read, and it has been proposed to make a lottery of 500 in the same number of prizes, with 1,000 tickets at \$20 each. No one will refuse to aid the Institute by taking a ticket, when he has more over a fair chance of getting full value for his money. In this manner the Library will gain a fresh capital of \$20,000 without its reading stock being the least impaired, and a constant supply of fifty or eighty volumes by each packet will place it on a wholly new and different footing. We cannot wonder that there are only 185 subscribers, when, during the whole of last year only 52 works were added to the shelves. In fact we rather wonder it has so many supporters, having almost ceased to be a circulating library, and degenerated into a collection of old or ill-conditioned volumes: *Mais, nous allons changer tout cela.*

As a proof of the energy and goodwill of the new Committee, we may mention that eight meetings have already been held in a couple of weeks, and the line of action not only traced out, but vigorously begun. On Monday evening and several previous evenings the shelves were carefully gone through, and every book set aside which had not been read at least once since the year 1853, as also several volumes in bad condition, which are to be replaced by new editions. It may not be credited that there are over 500 volumes which have never been taken out, including works nicely bound and illustrated, such as the *Life of Dost Mohammed Khan*, *Memoirs of Sir Joshua Reynolds*, *Travels in Circassia*, &c. Few tattered books have been set aside, as it will be necessary to get the new copies before rejecting the old, on a wise domestic principle, and torn volumes would be of no value in a lottery.

A second matter for consideration is the suppression of the Reading-Room, which we hardly offer an opinion on so vital a point, and think the Committee has acted wisely in throwing the responsibility on a general meeting. We have always urged the necessity of making the Library as popular as possible, and the suppression of the Reading-Room would have a decidedly opposite effect. It would be taken as the forerunner of final dissolution, and numbers of subscribers might knock off for the double reason of reduced value for their money, and unwilling to assist at the death throes of the moribund institution.

An economy of rent and gas would seem a poor consideration compared with the loss of a nucleus of British associations, the deprivation of a rendezvous for young men not given to billiards, the want of local and foreign journals for constant readers, and the diminished dignity, crippled functions, and decayed uses of the institution. All these are cogent reasons why the Reading-Room should be continued. On the other hand, the Treasurer calculates on a saving of 50 per cent. by doing away with a part of the Institution which is only made available by about one-tenth of the members. He argues that the Library has been allowed to fall into decay for the sake of the Reading-Room, although the former is properly nine-tenths of the institution; he promises that double the quantity of new books can be ordered by each mail if the Reading-Room be suppressed, thus giving double value to nine-tenths of the members while prejudicing only one-tenth.

If, however, as we anticipate, the lottery turn out successful, by yielding \$20,000, it may be possible to postpone the hard measure of suppressing the Reading-Room, which must be an injury to the very individuals who take most interest in, and oftenest avail themselves of the benefits of the Library. With \$20,000 the Committee will be able to pay off old debts, and besides meeting current expenses, add 500 new works during the year, and leave its successors in office a small balance on hand. It is not too much to tax the supporters of the Library with a lottery each year, and if the institution be efficiently managed, we may hope that its usefulness will be rather extended than curtailed, and that the British Library will become as popular as the 'Standard.'

AN ENGLISHWOMAN'S APPEAL.

THE WIDOW OF COLONEL ZAMBIANCHI.

The Chamber of Deputies of Congress lately voted a donation of \$500 silver to the widow of Colonel Zambianchi, in acknowledgement of the many valuable services rendered to the Republic by her deceased husband in his capacity of colonel of Engineers. The National Senate, however, thought fit to throw out the bill, and as Zambianchi had not served the full number of years to entitle his family to a pension, his widow and children are now left destitute, and forced to throw themselves on the generosity of the English public.

We gladly open our columns to the subjoined petition, trusting that our readers will make up the sum of \$500 for a distressed countrywoman, and perhaps some generous Argentines will aid to carry out the vote of the Deputies, that the widow's and orphans' hopes may not be defrauded:

"In the year 1857 Colonel Calimaco Zambianchi commenced to show that he desired the advancement and security of the Argentine Republic, submitting to the Government of Buenos Ayres a map which he had designed after several months' labor, of the River Plate provinces, pointing out the fortifications necessary at certain points of the frontier, and subsequently in the year 1858 the plan and explanations necessary for the fortification of Martin Garcia. Afterwards he formed part of the scientific committee named to explore the Pampas of Patagonia, during which voyage he was taken seriously ill with rheumatism, and was on his return confined to his bed for two months, and which infirmity he never entirely recovered.

"It was at this time that the war in Italy broke out, and as he was a little better he left for his native country, and did not return until the year 1861, in which year he offered his services in defence of a noble cause, and served under General Pánuero with the grade of Colonel. He presented at this time to the Government some hand-grenades, which caused great damage to the enemy, and which were principally used at the fortress at San Nicolas, also planned by him. Besides all this he drew a map of the seat of war, and then left with the army for Rosario, at which place he suffered a great deal, owing to the bad weather they encountered. He then returned to Buenos Ayres with leave of absence, and was for some days seriously ill; notwithstanding which he rose the day his leave was up and went to the Cap-

tain of the Port's to leave for Rosario with the Minister of War, who, seeing the state he was in, would not allow of his departure, but made him return home and keep to his bed. But this idle life did not suit him; and on the following day he jumped up, saying: "At a moment like this when the country is in such danger, it is no time for a man to remain in bed." He got up and left the same day for Rosario, where he remained a few days, and then left with General Pánuero for Cordova, making forced marches, which weakened him a great deal; and it is at this time that he made the topographic plan of the road from Rosario to Cordova. On his arrival in Cordova he made a plan of that city, and from there continued with his plan as far as the Sierra. From there he returned in a most deplorable state, but, notwithstanding his weak state, he continued working: his plans by day and night, in which way he finished the little strength left in him, and died on the 13th of February, 1862, sacrificing himself to the last for his adopted country, and leaving a widow and four children in poverty.

Buenos Ayres, Oct. 4th., 1864.
Messrs. Mullhall,
Dear Sirs,—

I ask pardon for the liberty I take in calling your attention to my present painful position.

I am the widow of the late Colonel Zambianchi, who died in Cordova on the 13th of February, 1862.

If you will be so good as to read the paper attached to this, it will explain to you all that is necessary, and here I would beg to say that the project of Sr. Angel Plaza Montero, (to which you refer in one of your late papers,) was a work executed by Colonel Zambianchi, but likewise in the name of Plaza Montero, as it was a project formed between them, and if you could possibly see the original plans you would notice the signatures both of Zambianchi and Montero.

I also enclose letters which will prove his services, offered and completed, up to the time of his death, which misfortune has left me here in a strange country, with four children, and perfectly unprovided for. I have tried all possible means to support myself and family by letting furnished apartments, but unfortunately having rooms frequently unoccupied, I find myself continually in embarrassment.

I solicited help from the Government, but could not obtain anything, also presented a solicitude to the Congress, which turned out likewise unsuccessful. (I have enclosed the said solicitude to you, that you may see and judge for yourself if it is just.) I have asked aid of the Italians, but these miserable men do not any longer remember that poor Zambianchi did all he could for them and his country, and died with the conviction that his children would be protected by his countrymen, but there is no kindness nor humanity amongst them; their kindness was to refuse me help.

In respect to the Freemasons, I am told I cannot receive anything from them, not having a certificate to present, but it is well known by all Freemasons that my late husband was a member of their society.

Under these unfortunate circumstances I am left to my last resort; that is, to supplicate my philanthropic and noble-minded countrymen to assist me by raising a subscription for an English widow and four fatherless children, that I may pay my debts and be saved from being left homeless, which kindness will ever be gratefully remembered by each and all of us.

I remain, Dear Sir,
Yours very respectfully,
ISABELLA J. H. ZAMBIANCHI.

CLOSING OF CONGRESS.

On yesterday at 1 p.m. the Plaza Mayo was crowded in the vicinity of the Congress-hall, where a battalion of the line was drawn up awaiting the arrival of the President and suite. The day was remarkably fine, and those who could not obtain entrance into the overcrowded Chamber had an opportunity of enjoying the view of the roadstead and shipping glittering in the sunshine.

At five minutes past one the President accompanied by his Ministers and staff left the Government House, crossing the plaza to the Hall. The band played a march, but there were no 'vivas,' and the spectators simply uncovered. The galleries were densely packed when the Senators and Deputies entered the Chamber, all dressed in black, with white gloves. The Minister's box on the left of the tribune was occupied by Mr. Thornton (Great Britain), Hon. Mr. Kirk (United States), the Brazilian Minister, French chargé d'affaires and other foreign diplomatists. On the right were the Consuls, Mr. Parish (Great Britain), Mr. Helper (United States), Sig. Pallavicini (Austria), Mr. Santamaria (Oldenburg) and others, in full lace uniforms. In another compartment were the Generals and public officials *en grande tenue*, and behind the

door Messrs. Varela and Lelong, who evidently expected a long speech from the President. At 10 minutes past one, General Mitre in full uniform took his seat on the tribune, and said:

Fellow citizens—At the close of the 3rd Legislative season, you leave the nation in peace and prosperity, based on the union of the people, and the liberties established at such great cost. After returning thanks to the Almighty for the many benefits conferred on us I congratulate your Hon. Chambers on the co-operation of the several provinces, the patriotism of the citizens, and the happy influence of your wise enactments.

If any merit belong to the Executive for such happy results, it is that of arranging the various means, and disposing of the national resources as far as possible in the interests of human progress; effecting all the good, and avoiding all the evil; to the best of our power, seeking rather permanent advantage than passing glory, and paying no need to the capricious variations of opinion in matters not based on right. I avail myself of this opportunity to thank you most cordially for the efficient aid you have rendered in this sense, with equal prudence and patriotism, touching the laborious tasks entrusted to you by the people and whose responsibility you share with them.

On retiring to your several homes in the provinces, you will impart to your countrymen the faith you entertain in the present and future destinies of the country, and you may assure them that the National Government will religiously guard the liberty and peace of the Republic, and will also co-operate to the enjoyment of these blessings in neighbouring states, whose misfortunes excite our sympathy. We cannot remain indifferent to the interests of America now at stake, but remember that as Argentines *par excellence* we are also Americans, and owe loyalty to our neighbors, as far as the dignity and security of the Republic permit.

With these assurances I have the honor to salute you, Hon. fellow-citizens of the Senate and Chamber of Deputies, and declare in obedience to the law:

The Sessions of the National Congress are closed. (Loud applause.)

The speech having lasted but four minutes, the affair terminated at 1:15, and the assembly broke up, the members of Congress looking as joyous as school-boys dismissed for vacation. As they draw their full salary of \$8,000 per month, for the seven months' recess, we trust they will divert themselves during the interval, and return with renewed energy and patriotism to the session of next May.

ADVENTURES IN THE GRAN CHACO.

We read a very interesting account of an expedition against the Indians of the Gran Chaco, by Comandante Don Juan M. Fernandez, with a force of 200 men:

He started from the Fortin La Cañada on the 29th ult., in the direction of Puerto Taboada, where he arrived on the 30th, and incorporated with a force of 60 men, under command of Sergeant-major Don Segundo Frias, who had come from Brachio to meet him. He was detained here until the 1st by a heavy storm, on which day he started in the direction of Abispa Negra, where he arrived about twelve o'clock on the 4th, without finding anything but the empty 'tolderias'; and the state of the place gave evidence that the Indians had recently left in several groups, and were in the direction of Laguna Verde, distant about five or six leagues. Here he stopped until the 5th, at daylight, to be able to take a good survey of the place. When about three or four leagues from the place he again came to a stop and sent two 'baqueños' forward to explore, and see whether the Indians were at Laguna Verde or not. As soon as it was dark they returned, saying that the Indians were there, with their fires lighted, and giving themselves up to their amusements. He then resolved to attack them, which he did on the morning of the 6th. The result of the battle was that thirty-five Indians were left dead on the field, among them a Cacique Mateo of great fame, 68 prisoners, and a good quantity of their arms, 48 head of cattle and 163 mares—all of which he puts with the

usual Spanish politeness at the disposal of the Governor. He lost only one man killed and two wounded. From declarations given by the prisoners by means of an interpreter, it is known that there is a body of Indians at Monté Aguara which he would attack, but his horses are in a very bad state, and also on account of the great quantity of 'chusma' he has made prisoners.

We would suggest to the National Government the utility of looking out for a few more officers like Commander Fernandez; possibly we should then hear of fewer invasions by the Indians.

ON 'CHANGE.

October 7th 1864.
Paper price of ounces, \$4574.
Do sovereigns, \$140.
Patacons opened at 28 40 and steadily rose to 28 60, at which price they closed very firm.
Cash sales 36,585.

TIME SALES.
For Monday, 2,000 28 45
Saturday, 23,460 28 55
Oct. 31, 15,000 28 50
Oct. 15, 32,000 28 50
Nov. 30, 5,000 28 25
Dec. 31, 5,000 28 25
Oct. 24, 0,000 28 40
Dec. 31, 13,000 28 80
Nov. 30, 5,000 28 30

Total sales, 173,045.
Specie rose considerably to-day, and indeed it would seem that the general feeling is that patacons are going up.

Many strange rumours were current on 'Change': amongst others, which seems to be well founded, that the Brazilian General at the head of 12,000 men had entered the Banda Oriental; that his force was divided into two bodies; that Flores was marching on Montevideo, and that he had left six thousand men on the coast of the Uruguay to receive the command of the different towns as soon as the Brazilians had captured them; that the Brazilians were making two monitors in Rio to fight the Paraguayans at Humaita; and that President Mitre had positively stated that he would regard it as a *casus belli* if the Paraguayans touched an inch of Argentine territory. Besides these bellicose rumours, it is said that specie would be shipped in large quantities in the Kepler for Europe and in the Saintongo for Rio. The Bolsa King was buying; in fact, things looked on 'Change' rather bad for the paper dollar and the projects.

There was a very active business in Exchange to-day, and the rate now may be regarded as at 49½; some second-class paper was negotiated at 49½.

Messrs. H. A. Green and Co. have placed on the berth the Italian barque Pissen, to load for Antwerp at current rates.

CHARTERS.

The barque Cato to load hides for Antwerp, at 80s.

PRODUCE SALES.

130 cowhides, dry \$118
1200 do do 112
800 do do 110
250 do do 109
60 doz sheepskins 350
80 do do 340
100 do camp 210
160 do do 180
1800 ar. wool mestiza 74
500 do do 70
200 ar. hair, South 125
490 cowhides, dry, S. Nicholas 39 s.r.
2000 do Cordobeses 374
40 sacks hair, Corrientes 32
150 ar. wool, Entre Rios 18
3000 horsehides 36lbs. 16
300 lbs. feathers \$57

MARITIME NEWS.

ARRIVED.

7th.
Amsterdam, Dutch brigantine Willemvaderm Bey.
Havre, French ship Rossuet.
Barcelona, Spanish brigantine Amable Rosa.
Rotterdam, Dutch schooner Seven Sheen.

SAILED.

6th.
Uruguay, national steamer Salto.
Rosario, national steamer Pavon.
Marseilles, French barque Nouvel Albatros.
Montevideo, Italian steamer Tevere.
Do. Mecklenburgh, Paul Gottlieb.

COLON THEATRE.

ITALIAN OPERA.

Last performance previous to the departure of the Italian Company.

On Sunday, 9th of October.

NORMA!

At 8 o'clock.

Théâtre Franco-Argentino, BOUFFES PARISIENS.

QUINZIEME REPRESENTATION DE L'ABONNEMENT, DIMANCHE 9 OCTOBRE.

Première représentation de MARIE JEANNE.

Grande piece en 5 actes et 6 tableaux de Emes, Meunier et Mallan.
1er tableau—Les Deux Noeës.
2—La Mansarde (lan après).
3—L'Hospice des Enfants Trouvés.
4—Chez Mme de Bussières.
5—La Maison des Feus.
6—La main de Dieu.

SCOTCH SCHOOL.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
Parents are respectfully informed that, from Monday next, the 17th inst., business will commence at the above Establishment at half-past nine, until further notice.
AUGUSTUS POWELL, Master.
3p. 08.

Photographs.
There is a large collection of Photographs of Native Celebrities, as also of all the principal Military, Political, Ecclesiastical, Scientific, and Artistic Celebrities of Europe, single and in groups; as also Photographs of all the principal Monuments and Buildings of the Place. Also Mythological Pictures. Libreria del Plata, San Martin No. 28. 08 3p.

Photographic Albums.
A tremendous assortment of elegant Photographic Albums, both French, English and German. From 20 to 200 Photographs are to be found at the Libreria del Plata Calle San Martin No. 28. Also many English Books on hand. 08 3p.

OLDEN BEEF.

Gold Medal, London 1862.
Lots of this excellent article, fresh beef, are offered for sale, for samples. Bales of mutton with the ribs, and boneless beef; they are half-sweet, being prepared during summer, and of excellent quality, far superior to meat in barrels. Preserved mutton will be exported for Brazil, and both mutton and beef for ultra-marine ports. After being six or eight hours in water it is fit for use.

Although fat cattle are at present dear, samples are submitted to the public, at the request of influential parties: nine bales are already shipped for France and Belgium.

Lots of beef have arrived at Cadiz in good condition, for samples; and although it does not keep as well as the dried beef, it is a very good article. It is on sale at 97 Calle Peru and 35 Paseo Julio (Sor. Ramayon). 6p 08.

On Sale.
One square league of camp situated between Arecoires and Fortin de Areco. No better camp for sheep to be had. For further information apply to Calle Rivadavia No. 42 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Splendid Land to Rent.
There are two leagues of fine land to let for 8 years in the Magdalena Partido. The flocks at present on the land will be sold or not, to meet the convenience of the tenant.

Those who may feel interested in the above can apply for further particulars to MESSRS. TORRES & LAVALLE, Calle Belgrano No. 60. 08 15p d w

For Sale.

Lots of Land to suit purchasers. Said lots of land are situated in the Calle Caseros, fronting the Station of the Southern Railway, in the immediate vicinity of the great southern market, Constitution, and are well adapted for establishing barracas, lumber yards, blacksmiths and carpenter's shops, or any other commercial establishment.

By applying to No. 59, Calle Bolivar, every information can be obtained. 3p. 08.

To Let—Furnished Apartments.
A fine-Sala, with Bedroom adjoining. Also several bedrooms, together or separate.

CALLE DE LA FLORIDA, 258. 3p. 08.

House and Garden to Let.

The house contains many rooms, the garden plenty of fruit trees, also grapevines, etc. The owner will permit the tenant to establish a barraca, lumber yard, or any other commercial establishment; to make such improvements on the premises as he finds convenient for his business; will contract the premises for a number of years. By applying at No. 218 calle Belgrano all necessary information can be obtained. 3p. 07.

At the West End.

To Let one of the new houses in Calle Suipacha opposite the Socorro Church; contains Drawing-room, Dining-room; seven Bed-rooms, Kitchen; two Patios and Garden, Algabe. Gas in the principal rooms, all in first-rate order. Apply at No. 120 Calle Piedad. 3p. 06.

Wanted to Rent.

A league or a league and a-half of Land, to the South or West, within 40 leagues of Buenos Ayres. Apply 84, Calle Piedad. 3p. 06.

Nurse.

A lady returning to England and coming back again between April and May, and in want of an experienced Nurse will find a suitable person by addressing A. B. 'Standard' office. 3p 08

Wanted.
An active young man—foreigner preferred—for the post of Custom House Clerk in an importing house. Only those who have a thorough knowledge of the custom house in every respect should apply, provided with good references. Please direct answer, B. 45, Standard Office. 5p. 07

Wanted.
A Young Man, lately come to this country, seeks a situation as Waiter or Steward in an English family. References can be given. Apply, A, Standard Office. 3p. 06

Wanted.
A smart Girl, just arrived, wishes employment as Housemaid, or would take charge of children. First-class references. Apply 66, Calle Piedad. 3p. 06

Wants a Situation.
A steady, active man, 15 years in the country, is anxious to get employment about town as caretaker or inside servant—would make himself generally useful. First class references. Apply, N, Standard Office. 3p. 05.

Visiting Tutor.
A graduate of Edinburgh University, who has had 18 years' experience in teaching Classics, Mathematics, and other branches of a thorough English education, is open to an engagement of two hours daily, either in Buenos Ayres or Belgrano. He has been very successful with difficult pupils. Address "Sigma," Standard Office. 6p 05

Wanted.
For a chalet, within six leagues of town, a married couple: the man to work on shares, the wife to cook. Apply at Calle Chacabuco, No. 376. \$30 12p

Negrette Rams and Ewes.

B. Nazar will sell by public sale at his house, Calle Victoria, No. 154, a lot of 30 Rams and 33 Ewes, pure Negrette breed, selected from one of the best establishments of Pomerania, and just landed from on board of the Russian brig Helios, consigned to Messrs. Decejan and Co.
The Sale will take place on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at 11 o'clock. 5p. 07.

GREAT LAND-SALE THIS DAY.

By order of the Courts will be sold the magnificent camps belonging to the late Juan Agustín Lastra, and called Montes Grandes, in the partido of Monsalvo, distant 55 leagues from B. Ayres. Buyers are notified that the contract of the actual tenant only wants one year of expiration. The sale will come off this (Saturday) evening under the Cabildo. 2p 07

Interesting to Sheep Farmers.

For sale, Laths for Sheep corrals of 16 and 16 feet long and a fine assortment of Pine of all sizes.

Apply Corralon Calle Venezuela No. 317. 4p 06

Shearing.

FIRST-CLASS TYING TWINE AND SORBY'S SHEARS, HIBERNIAN HOUSE, 64, 66, AND 68, PIEDAD. 9p \$29

TEUTONIA.

Sonnabend, den 8 October, 8½ Uhr, ABENDUNTERTÄUFUNG. Einführung ausnahmsweise unbeschränkt.

Notice.

The American Consul in Buenos Ayres, having received from the Government in Washington a new rate of tariff of fees, henceforth applicable to all the United States Consulates throughout the world, respectfully invites merchants, masters of vessels, and all others interested, to call at his office, and acquaint themselves with the several changes which have been adopted. Buenos Ayres, Oct. 4, 1864. 3p 05

Swiss Consulate.

Mr. Henry Frey, a Swiss citizen of the Canton of Zurich is requested to call at this Consulate for a matter of great interest to him. Buenos Ayres, 4th Oct. 1864. 3p 05.

WELLS BECKHAUS & Co.

Wool-Brokers, 173 Calle de las Piedras. WED. AUG. 25, 1864

OSTEO OLDON

PATENT, MARCH 1st, 1862.
Messrs. OXBELL'S invention for supplying Artificial Teeth with soft flexible gums, entirely disposable, and with the use of springs, wires, or metallic fastenings, and is especially adapted for warm climates.

MESS GABRIEL

THE OLD ESTABLISHED DENTISTS.
Diploma 1843.
25, Hatley Street, Coventry Square, and 51, La Grange Hill Court (Rensselaer), London: Liverpool: 131, Duke Street. Birmingham: 62, New Street.

Parties at the extremity of the globe, be forwarding particulars as the condition of their mouths, with the course of the times, will receive by return that which will enable them to take an impression of the mouth, so as to enable Messrs. G. to forward either a partial or complete set of Teeth.

GABRIEL'S CELEBRATED OPHTHALMIC, for restoring and preserving the Teeth, 10s. 6d. and 7s. 6d. per bottle. Patent White Enamel for stopping Front Teeth, warranted never to change colour, 5s. and 10s. 6d. per case; and the Gutta Serena 1s. 6d. per box.

GABRIEL'S PAINLESS TREATMENT OF THE TEETH, which explains the numerous advantages obtainable by their patented method, may be had of all Agents, or will be furnished direct on receipt of Twelve Stamps.

Wanted.

A person lately arrived from Europe (Experienced in Sanitary matters) undertakes to cleanse and purify W. C's, Cess Pools, &c. &c. by a Chemical process hitherto unknown in this country. N.B.—The above chemical preparation can be had in quantities suitable to the convenience of purchasers i.e. from one pint upwards address W.C. Hotel de l'Harmonie 25 Mayo. 3p 06

Pro Bono Publico

For the better accommodation of the Citizens of Buenos Ayres and the Community at large; the celebrated Disinfecting Fluid "Nonpareil" can now be had in quantities from One Pint upwards.

Pints \$20, Quarts 35. CRANWELL & Co. Sole Agents. 6p 07.

Caution!

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Given by Daniel Chapman to pupils at their private residences: Apply Calle Peru, 102. On sale at Messrs Mackern's Book store a new "History of England; or, Royal Arithmetic," in verse, written especially for the use and instruction of Pupils who are learning English History, also for schools, &c. Price \$5. 5p 05

Notice.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that on this date he has admitted Mr. Thomas D. Peters as a partner in his business of produce brokers, which until now has been carried on in his own name.

The signature of the new firm will be Hughes & Peters.

Buenos Ayres, October 1st, 1864. 6p. 04 JOHN HUGHES.

Law Proclamation.

By the decree of the Sr. Juez of 1st Instance, Dr. D. Miguel Garcia Fernandez, will be sold by auction under the Galerías de la Casa de Justicia, on the evenings of the 6th, 7th, and 8th of the coming month of October, the camp belonging to the late D. José Agustín Lastra, situated in the Partido of Monsalvo, comprising 34 leagues, for which there has been an offer of 300,000 dollars mpc per square league; to serve as basis for the auction, giving notice that there is a contract existing that must be respected by the buyer. For further particulars, apply at the office of the undersigned firm, who will give every information required. PEDRO MEDINA. Buenos Ayres, Sept. 20, 1861. 15p. \$23.

English Store.

Nos. 33 and 35 CALLE 25 DE AGOSTO. Montevideo. The largest and best assorted Stock in the River Plate. 02, 1m

Hotel De Genève.

43—Calle Mayo—43. (formerly Hotel de Commerce.) This establishment has been got up entirely new, and leaves nothing to be desired in the way of comfort. The proprietor has the honor to announce to the public that he receives pensioners, and offers every convenience of board and lodging for gentlemen or families. 1m \$30

A DESIRABLE SUMMER RESIDENCE

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Established more than Thirty years.

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Education in England

A Married Lady, residing in the Western Suburbs of London, takes the entire charge of the Children of Gentlemen. She is qualified in their education by her own experience as a Mother, and her former Pupils, both in England and India. A House "Alison," care of Mr. Waters, Bookeller, Westbourne-grove, London, W.

NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Argentine Races at Belgrano. Sunday next, 9th inst.

Extra trains will leave the 25 de Mayo Station to take passengers to Belgrano at 10:40 a.m. and at 12:40 p.m.; returning at 4:45 and 6:15 p.m. THE ADMINISTRATION.

Superfine Club.

Moe Turtle Soup eclipsed. Genuine "Ox Tail" at Headquarters every night!

By order, JOLLY BOYS and CO. Directors. 3p. 05.

Two Prize Medals.

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AUCTION.

By **URIALANTE & CO.**, of an Estancia, at their house, Calle Victoria, No. 140.

On Thursday, the 12th of October, at One o'clock, will be sold, without fail, for cash, an Establishment of Camps, in the Partido de Tordillo, and within three leagues of the Pueblo Dolores, containing an area or half a league in front by one in depth. The camp is of a superior class, with abundant pasturage, especially good for the rearing of sheep. It has one poblacion comprising an azotea house with five rooms, monte corrales, &c., two puestos with ranchos and corrales.

Also, will be sold, at the same time, 2,000 Mestiza sheep, bred on the same camp, and belonging to the same property. For further particulars apply to the Auctioneers. sept 21, 18p

Sewing Machines.

A large and varied assortment on hand. Warranted to work well. They are all of the latest and most improved inventions, and of different prices.

JOHN SHAW,
f19 204 Calle Venezuela

NOTICE.

We beg to advise the Public, and our Friends in particular, that we have been appointed, by letter from Messrs. Arthur Guinness, son, and Co., Dublin (copy of which we annex) sole Agents in Buenos Ayres for the sale of their celebrated Extra Stout.

BARRY & WALKER,
97 Calle Defensa.

(COPY.)

"James's Gate Brewery, Dublin, 6th May 1864.

"We have appointed Messrs. Barry and Walker sole Agents for the sale of our Porter in Buenos Ayres.

(Signed)
"ARTHUR GUINNESS, SON, & CO."
1 m s 3.

JUST RECEIVED at "UNA"
A Splendid Assortment of
DRAPERY GOODS
Suitable for the present and coming Season, and selected especially for this Market.
THE PALAZO
HIBERNIAN HOUSE,
64, 66, & 68 CALLE PIEDRA.
s 11 x

Notice.

The undersigned, Sole Agents in this city for the sale of the celebrated Brandy marked "Jules Robin & Co." hereby caution the public that a spurious article in imitation of the genuine is now being offered on sale, the bottles of which are forged with the name of the aforesaid manufacturers, but are easily detected from the deficiency of their name being branded in the corks and ours as sole agents on each bottle.

Buenos Ayres, July 4th, 1864.
j5, 1m **JOHN BEST & BROS.**

New English Grocery Store.
61—CALLE RECONQUISTA—61.
JAMES HASTINGS.
The undersigned begs to inform the Public that he will open, on or after the 1st Oct., his new and well-assorted Grocery Establishment. Having been for many years in the trade, and enjoying an extensive connection in the Camp, he possesses many advantages over others who have recently started in the same business. His goods are without exception, the most excellent in the River Plate, and defy all competition or rivalry.

J. H., in reminding his Friends by this notice of his reappearance in business, trusts to their patronage and support which hitherto for so many years he enjoyed with profit to himself and satisfaction to the public.

All goods purchased of the undersigned will be despatched to the Plazas and Railways free of charge.
Buenos Ayres Sept 12 1864.
JAMES HASTINGS.
61—Reconquista—61.
s 12 m d w.

THE QUEEN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
CAPITAL—£2,000,000.
Chief Offices,
QUEEN INSURANCE BUILDINGS
LIVERPOOL.

Agents for Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and the River Plate,
Barbour, Barclay, and Co
CALLE CHACABUCCO, 13.
Sept. 40

CIGARS.

E. RATHJE,
60 CALLE SAN MARTIN 62
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
AT MODERATE PRICES,
Fresh arrivals every month.
s 21, x

To Rent.

An Estancia in the partido de Pila 1500 varas front by twenty thousand deep, the land is of an excellent quality and suitable for the rearing of Sheep.
For further particulars apply to 180 Calle Florida. s15 x.

A LOS ESTANCIEROS.

Cercos de hierro para rodeos, potreros, corrales, charras etc.
Corrales portátiles con postes de hierro y tablas.

Mojones de hierro.
Bebedores de hierro para ovejas, hacienda vacuna y caballar.

Piletas de hierro batido y de hierro fundido para construcciones.
Maquinas de estirar alambre.

Maquinas de cortar corrales, abrojos, y cepas de caballo; con esta maquinas los Señores Estancieros pueden limpiar sus campos en pocas horas.

Maquinas de sacar agua de los jagüeles funcionando sin caballo, basta con un niño de diez ó doce años para sacar una pipa de agua en dos minutos, se arma y se desarma en poco tiempo y se transporta con facilidad.

En la fabrica de
VAN DE VELDE Hermanos.
B. Ayres, Calle Buen Orden No. 245.

Fire.
COMMERCIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY.
Capital—£2,500,000 fully subscribed.
Agents for Buenos Ayres and the River Plate,
BRANDT SOHN, and CO.,
Calle de la Piedad, 208.
Jl. 1m

Rams.
Remarkably fine rams of three and four crosses of Rambouillet blood (Cabaña Imperial breed) on sale at the Chacara of Mr. Latham Camino de Casa Teja partido de Quilmes.

For size, weight of fleece and length of staple, this flock is unsurpassed in the province, and it is precisely the class most desirable for the regeneration of the general run of flocks in the country.

The Ewes—dams of the rams offered for sale, averaged at the last clip 94 lbs. each of prime conditioned wool.
12 ps 25.

To English Sheep Farmers.
To rent, a splendid Estancia, distant 18 leagues to the South, in the Partido de Magdalena, containing 2 square leagues with 27 poblaciones, 40,000 sheep, corrales, montes, &c. The Camp has not one viscachera and is one of the best in all the Province for the rearing of sheep, and to the present no disease has ever been known on it, notwithstanding the bad years; it also contains some thousands of cows.

The whole will be rented in one lot or in parts; or will be sold 5, 10, 15, or 20,000 thousand of the above named sheep.
For further particulars apply at 390 Calle Victoria. s18 1m d w.

ENGLISH DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT.
E. J. HASTLER
NEW GOODS
Received monthly and semi-monthly.
London made BOOTS and SHOES in great variety.
61 CORRIENTES 61

PROSPECTUS

For the formation of a Company to Establish

A PLEASURE PARK IN PALERMO.

CAPITAL—\$2,000,000.

In 2,000 Shares, of \$1,000 mje each.

The Park, which will be laid out in the style of the best European Parks, will include fine carriage drives and walks, ornamental grounds, with lakes, fountains, and bowers, &c., cafes, restaurants, refreshment-rooms, billiards, bagatelles, cricket, croquet, gymnasium, archery grounds, shooting galleries, bowling saloons, bowls, quoits, swings, and all kinds of amusements and games.

There will also be held, at the proper seasons, agricultural shows, both of animals and of implements, as also of agricultural produce, flower shows, &c. Also bazaars will be held for charitable purposes, banquets, &c.

As soon as a sufficient number of shares shall have been taken, a meeting of shareholders will be called for the purpose of electing a Committee of Management, and of making other necessary arrangements.

Subscription lists will be opened at the following places:—

At the Exchange Rooms; Messrs. Mackern's, Calle San Martin; Mr. L. V. Wilkie, Calle Chacabuco; Mr. Emile Paris, Armorer, Calle Rivadavia; at the "Standard" Office; and with Eugene J. Paris, 88, Calle Parque. s 13

SAVINGS BANK.

BANK MAUÁ AND CO.

No. 103 Calle de Cangallo,

BUENOS AYRES.

The immense advantages of Accounts Current are now so generally felt and appreciated in the two great emporiums of the River Plate, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, that there are very few Merchants who fail to keep one at the bank in which they place the most confidence.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. in Montevideo has already provided for the working classes in that city a safe and profitable depositary for their savings.

The sums deposited in that most important institution are daily increasing, and already reach a very large amount.

These advantages have not hitherto been enjoyed in this city by an immense number of clerks, artisans, working men, and servants of all classes and conditions, who are equally interested in putting their savings out at interest, thus providing themselves with a reserve fund in case of need, sickness, or old age, instead of spending them in the immoral gambling, in lotteries, and other frivolities.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. of this city, following the noble example of their firm in Montevideo, now offer the same facilities in this city, and will open a Savings Bank at No. 103 Calle Cangallo, from Nine a.m. till Three p.m. on Week Days, and on Sundays and Holidays from Ten a.m. to Twelve m., for the reception of the savings of the classes already mentioned.

The Bank will deliver to each depositor a pass book, in which will be entered the amount deposited and withdrawn.

The depositor is permitted at any time to withdraw the whole or part of the sum deposited; in the former case the interest will be calculated up to date.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. is sufficiently known to the Public by the benefit derived from the course of its operations, which are regulated on the strictest and soundest principles, and always directed to promote the general welfare.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. are also persuaded that this new branch of their business will render immense service to the working classes of Buenos Ayres and its neighbourhood.

Buenos Ayres, September 19, 1863.
P. P. Mauá and Co. **WILLIAM LESLIE**

CONDITIONS.

First—The Bank receives at interest any sum from Twenty-five Dollars currency Silver Dollar upwards.

Second—The interest allowed is six per cent. (6 p c) per annum, which is liquidated every six months.

Third—The depositors can at any time retire the whole or part of the money deposited.

Fourth—Once the money deposited exceeds twenty-five thousand dollars currency, or one thousand dollars silver, the depositor, if he wishes, can open an account current, according to the rules established by the Bank.

Fifth—In case the depositor loses his pass book, it can be replaced by another on paying twelve dollars currency, and advertising the loss in the public newspapers.

TO CAMP PURCHASERS.

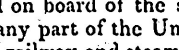
GALBRAITH & HUNTER

Have just received per Packet their first delivery of goods suitable for the coming season (direct from the manufacturers) including

Men's Tweed Suits, Pilot Jackets and Vests, Bedford Cord and Cord Pants, Best Jean Stripe Shirts, Blue Shirting Stripes (best quality) 36-inch Linen Stripe Shirting, White Dress and Crimean Shirts, 8 1/2 ex fine Wool Plaids, Cotton and Linen Ticking, Blankets, Flannels, Shirtings, Sheetings, &c. &c.

N.B.—As we will receive a fresh supply monthly throughout the Season, our customers may at all times rely on having a good and well assorted Stock to select from, which will be offered at lowest possible cash prices at the

ENGLISH DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT OF BUENOS AYRES,
49 & 51—Calle Defensa—49 & 51.



RIVER PLATE STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

LIVERPOOL AND RIVER PLATE DIRECT.

NAMES OF STEAMERS.

LA PLATA.

PARANA, PARAGUAY, URUGUAY, UNA.

One of these Steamers will leave Liverpool for Montevideo and Buenos Ayres on the 1st of each month.

Cargo will be received on board of the steamers 48 hours after their arrival, to be delivered in any part of the United Kingdom, or on the Continent, being forwarded by railway and steamer for account of the Company, the bills of lading being signed with these conditions.

As the object of the Company is to extend and facilitate the existing traffic between Europe and the River Plate, the rates of freight will be very moderate.

Specie and Parcels will be received until the day before the steamers leave.

In order to facilitate immigration to these countries the rates have been reduced as follows—

1st Class.....£35.

2nd ".....£25.

3rd ".....£16.

Return Tickets will be issued for six months at the following rates—

1st Class.....£65.

2nd ".....£45.

3rd ".....£30.

These boats are excellent opportunities for families visiting Europe, more especially when consisting of Ladies and Children, having large ladies' cabin, and carrying an experienced stewardess.

The Steamer Parana will leave this on the 14th of October.

Apply to **HENRY A. GREEN & CO., AGENTS,**
55 RECONQUISTA.

Steamer "KEPLER,"
Sailing for Liverpool on Saturday, 8th October.

Shippers are requested to present Bills of Lading for signature before 12 o'clock, noon, on the 8th instant. Parcels, specie, and consignee's letters received by the undersigned until 3 p.m.

Letters will be received at the Captain of the Port's until 3.30.

Passengers are requested to be on board at 4 p.m.

The "Kepler" is appointed to sail from Montevideo on the 11th inst.

JOHN P. BOYD AND CO.,
Calle San Martin, No. 56.
2p. 07.

DILIGENCIAS PARA LOBOS Y 25 DE MAYO.

DE SABORIDO Y GARCIA

CON CARVAGOS TIRADOS AL PECO

PARA LOBOS

Los dias—2-4-6-8-10-12-14-16-18-20

22-24-26-28-30.

Regresa los dias—1-3-5-7-9-11-13-15

17-19-21-23-25-27-29

To English Travellers.

Englishmen, and others visiting Buenos Ayres, will find every home comfort at the Hotel de la Paix, which is the largest and best Hotel in this city.

Charges are most moderate.

Wines superb

Table d'Hôte on European style.

Board, with room, gas-lights, and attendance, from 5s. to 10s. per day.

HOTEL DE LA PAIX,
(Corner of Calle Cangallo and Calle Reconquista.)
J 26.

FOREIGN AMATEUR RACES.

SPRING MEETING, NOV. 1, 1864.

First Race, 12 Noon.
Trial Stakes—Entry, Three Hundred Dollars, with Three Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 145lb. Once round.

Second Race, 12 1/2 p.m.
Amateur Stakes—Entry, Four Hundred Dollars, with Five Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 145lb. Half round.

Buenos Ayres Stakes—Entry, Four Hundred Dollars with Five Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 140lb. One and a half rounds.

Fourth Race, 3 p.m.
Ladies' Purse—Entry, Five Hundred Dollars, with Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars added. For horses that have never run at any previous public meeting. Weight, 140lb. Once round.

Fifth Race, 3 1/2 p.m.
Challenge Stakes—Entry, Four Hundred Dollars, with Six Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 140lb. Two rounds.

Sixth Race, 4 p.m.
Committee Purse—Entry, Four Hundred Dollars, with Five Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 140lb. Once round.

Seventh Race, 5 p.m.
Consolation Stakes (for beaten horses of the day)—Entry, Two Hundred Dollars, with Three Thousand Dollars added. Weight, 140lb. Once round.

Eighth Race, 5 1/2 p.m.
Colts and Fillies under 3 years allowed 100 lbs. Mark 70 lbs. Winners at any public meeting of the distance in which they have been entered, to be 100 lbs. extra. If winners of more than one, 50 lbs. extra. Races may be run with or without places, at the option of owners. Any rider presented by a member or owner, and approved of by the Committee, shall be admissible, on depositing Five Hundred Dollars, as a deposit for honest riding, which amount to be forfeited in case of a fall.

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